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TAIZOU HORI, ET AL. )      Examiner: Unassigned  
Application No.: 09/901,700 )      Group Art Unit: 2615  
Filed: July 11, 2001 )  
For:    VARIABLE-MODE )  
      INFORMATION SIGNAL )  
      REPRODUCTION APPARATUS )  
      WITH TRACKING CONTROL )  
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Sir:

Further to the Preliminary Amendment filed on July 11, 2001, please enter  
the following amendments to the above-identified application.

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After the title and before the first paragraph (line 1), insert the  
following:

--This is a divisional application of Application No. 09/428,651 filed

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October 28, 1999.--

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